GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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COMPUTER SCAM IN ICAR
HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the case relating to scam in the purchase of computers in the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) has been closed;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) the loss suffered by the Government due to the above scam; and

(d) the reasons for not fixing the responsibility in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) No, Sir. The case relating to purchase of computers in the ICAR has not been closed.The allegations of irregularities in purchase of computers under NARP/NATP of ICAR Hqrs. are under investigation by CBI and CBI`s investigation report is awaited.

(b) (c) & (d): Question does not arise.